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Lac Ste. Anne M.L.A. Speaks On Flood Conditions At Lac La Nonne

A. M. Montemurro, M.L.A. Lac Ste. Anne Constituency, addressed a well-attended meeting at Lac La Nonne on Saturday, July 4, 1953. The speaker dealt first with the flood conditions around the lake and went on to speak in regard to the new road from Lac La Nonne to Gunn, via Rich Valley.

The meeting was called to order by the Divisional Board to steps to secure relief from the flood conditions affecting lake-shore farms and resort properties. Mr. Montemurro informed those present that the Water Resources and Irrigation Board of Alberta had given assurance that it was ready to proceed to construct a five-year plan has been set up for each Municipal District, whereby several trunk-main roads will be undertaken yearly. These will be selected in rotation, and engineering assistance will be given by the Government to and the local Municipal Councils to bring these roads up to standard as to grade and width, and gravelled. The Government road grant now to be expended under this direction, instead of being disposed piecemeal as in the past, the speaker stated.

Mr. Montemurro went on to say that the Government and the Municipalities will participate on a 75 per cent-25 per cent basis. The Province bearing the larger portion of costs. However, he said, the Municipality will still control the expenditure of local taxation together with the Municipal Assistance Grant, which will be paid as previously.

In the case of the Lac La Nonne road via Rich Valley to Gunn corner on the Whitecourt Highway, the speaker stated that the Municipal Council of Lac Ste. Anne and the Provincial Engineer have signed the contract for commencement of construction of the road.

Road construction in the Municipality this year will cost \$85,000 of which the Alberta Government will supply \$76,000 and the Municipality \$23,000. This \$93,000 will be spent on the construction of four roads: the road north from Cherhill, the road south from Cherhill, the Lac La Nonne to Gunn Corner road, and the road south from Richford Bridge.

However, he said, the Municipal Council of Lac Ste. Anne M.D. would still receive the Government Municipal Assistance Grant of Forty Thousand (\$40,000) dollars which with the regular tax levy, would provide ample revenue for regular expenditures.

Mr. Montemurro stated that the Provincial Government was desirous that an immediate start be made, as sufficient funds have been allocated to provide a completed gravel market road from Lac La Nonne to Gunn Corner.

Mr. Eldin Gray, member of the Lac Ste. Anne Municipal Council, was chairman of the meeting.

Morinville News Briefs

A farewell party was held here Saturday evening, July 4, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Letourneau who have now left to make their home at Edmonton. About thirty-five friends were on hand to wish the couple well and present them with an automatic toaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Desnoyers, who had purchased their beautiful home, are now residing in it.

Miss Lois Bokenfor has completed her final examinations with an 86 per cent average to become a Laboratory Technician. She has recently returned from a holiday at Seattle with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Steffen and Armand Comeau.

Mrs. Leon Boissonnault gave birth to a baby girl at the Edmonton General Hospital on June 29. Their first child.

Miss Lucienne Ouellette joined the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada on July 2 replacing Miss Mariette Trotter, who was transferred to the Edmonton West End Branch.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the Town Hall on July 3 in honor of Miss Constance Mounier, bride-elect of July 7. Co-hostesses were Misses Cecile and Rachel Morissette.



A. M. MONTEMURRO

COUNCIL REJECTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE STATION, TOURIST CABINS

MORINVILLE—At the last meeting of the council of the M.D. of Morinville, held in the Council Chambers at Morinville, on Thursday, June 11th, councillors turned down an application for a service station and tourist cabins on the St. Albert Trail.

The councillors felt that due to the exceptionally heavy traffic on the highway past the proposed new service station, and because of the existing large number of accesses to the highway, in that area, the application was not in the best interests of safety.

The applicants were advised that the Council was not prepared at this time to authorize this development until such a time as the Planning Commission has made further study of the said location and meets with approval.

Other business transacted by the Council at that meeting will be found in the extracts of the minutes which follow:

Present
John Schafers, Division No. 1; Stanley M. Walker, Division No. 2; Nick C. Perrott, Division No. 3; Gustave Meunier, Division No. 4; Emmanuel Racine, Division No. 5.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor at 10:20 o'clock a.m.

Adoption of Minutes
Moved by Councillor Walker that the minutes of the meeting held May 14 and 15, 1953 be adopted as received and read by Councillor Carrier.

Financial Statement
Moved by Councillor Meunier that the financial statement for the period ending May 31, 1953 be adopted as read to the Council by the Secretary-Treasurer.

Carried.
Presentation of Accounts
Accounts were now presented to the Council for their approval and payment.

Council adjourned for lunch at 12:30 o'clock p.m.

Council re-assembled at 2:00 p.m.

Road, NE 26 and SE 35-36-26-W4
Asker Anderson now called on the Council in regards to the condition of this road west of the above location. He was advised that the Council would also request that they

Sturgeon Teaching Staff To Be Increased For December Term

MORINVILLE—The regular monthly meeting of the Divisional Board of the Sturgeon School Division was held June 11 at the divisional office in Morinville.

Superintendent Scott, submitted a comprehensive report on the teaching-staff situation. He recommended that an additional room be opened for Nainoa School. It was moved by Mr. Allen that an additional room be opened at Nainoa in order to relieve the elementary grades at that centre.

On the motion of Mr. Messier, it was decided to increase the teaching staff at Legal for the elementary grades.

On the motion of Mr. Veness, it was decided to engage an additional teacher for the Junior High School Grades at St. Albert in order to relieve the principal so that he may have more time for supervision.

On another motion of Mr. Veness it was decided to appoint Mrs. Blain as Supervising Teacher of the 4-room brick school at St. Albert.

Leave of Absence
The board granted one year's leave of absence to Miss Mary Fitzgerald and Mrs. Dorothy Tanski for health reasons and Miss Marie Apchin who wishes to travel to Europe and North Africa.

Resignations
Resignations were received from Sr. M. Henrita, Miss Roseanna Lindsay and Miss Victoria White. These resignations were accepted by the Divisional Board.

Transfers
The following transfers were approved: Miss Campau from Legal to Camilla, Mrs. Margaret Haage and Mrs. G. Shumata to Nainoa, Mr. and Mrs. Pylipow from Gibbons to Horse Hills. Regular accounts submitted by the Secretary were ordered paid on motion of Mr. Veness. The meeting then adjourned until Tuesday, June 16.

The meeting re-assembled on this date. On the motion of Mr. McEue accounts which had been received by the Divisional Board were ordered paid.

Auditor's Cash Statement
The cash statement for the four months ending April 30 prepared by the Auditor was handed to each Trustee and on motion of Mr. Allen it was accepted.

Gas Installation, Legal
On the motion of Mr. Messier the tender for installing gas in the schools at Legal was accepted and the tender of the Morinville Plumbing and Heating for gas installation in the teacherages was accepted.

Almondale School Addition
On the motion of Mr. Cunningham it was decided to have the architect prepare complete electrical plans for both existing classrooms and the new addition to the Almondale School also plans for heating installation, which when ready would be submitted to the Department of Education.

Teachers' Salary Schedule
Mr. C. B. Dagg, Conciliation Commissioner, accompanied by Mr. Fries of the ATA called to interview the Divisional Board to discuss teachers' salary schedule. The Board agreed to adopt a single salary schedule to replace present positional salary schedule. There was considerable discussion on the matter and a new proposal agreed

to by the Divisional Board would be submitted to teaching staff for its consideration.

Building Program
On Motion of Mr. McEue, the contract for Plumbing and Heating recently at the home of the former to Mould and Son for the sum of \$9,705 and for the ventilating to Will Barry for \$525.00.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30.

In an earlier issue of this paper the contract price for the Horse Hills School was reported \$23,000, this should read \$73,000.

Shower Honors Bride-Elect

ST. ALBERT—Mr. & Mrs. Deane and Mrs. A. Kennedy entertained recently at the home of the former, in honor of Miss Madeline Van Brabant, who will be married on July 13. Songs by Mrs. K. Riley were greatly appreciated by the guests. The bride-elect received beautiful gifts from the many old friends and neighbors who were present. A delicious luncheon was served, the hosts being assisted by Mrs. H. Lamer, Miss Sheila Harold, Misses Mary and Margaret Kennedy, Miss Van Brabant very graciously thanked all present.

Girls Fastball Tournament Planned

ST. ALBERT—The St. Leon Athletic Club and girls' fastball team are sponsoring a tournament on Sunday, July 19, to be held at the St. Leon Athletic Grounds.

The eight teams will be made up of St. Albert, Nainoa, Morinville, Gibbons, Clover Bar, Fort Saskatchewan, North Edmonton and St. Leon.

Games and refreshments will be available on the grounds.

The St. Leon Athletic Grounds are located one-quarter mile past the city limits on the St. Albert Trail.

Everyone is welcome and there will be no gate admission.

Morinville Lions Select Committees

MORINVILLE—Morinville Lions Club are justly proud of their past achievements and work which they have done, and they may well be. Much of the credit due to this highly active group goes to the efficient way they organize themselves into committees and each committee member does his job well. Recently the Lions announced the selection of committees and their member Lions for the forthcoming twelve months. In all, there are some twenty committees, nine of which are for administrative purposes and eleven are formed for the purpose of looking after the multitude of activities which the Lions are prominent.

The names of all the persons who make up these committees will appear in next week's issue of the Morinville Journal.

RUSSIAN ROULETTE FATAL

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 8.—Mel Baker, 17-year-old youth, showing his 15-year-old bride at three days home, played Russian roulette, spun the cylinder of a .22 revolver, put it to his temple, and fired. A bullet entered his brain, killing him instantly.

A "Dominion Day" baby, girls was born to Mrs. Carl (Bill) Giblin. Their first child, 2, 2, 2, 2.

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HEREFORD CLUB REPORTS ON FIRST NORTHERN ALBERTA TOUR

By HAROLD PAUL

The Northern Alberta Hereford Club's first annual Hereford tour was conducted through the districts of Tofield to Vegreville on Monday, June 22, 1953.

The hospitality of the breeders throughout the entire districts were truly of the western kind. Approximately 150 people were in attendance for the largest part of the tour and over 50 cars travelled throughout the countryside in the caravan.

Interested parties in attendance came all the way from Unity, Saskatchewan in the east, Sanguin in the west, Westlock in the north and as far south as Nanton. The guest book would indicate that all points between were well represented.

The tour, under the very capable management of the group president, Mr. Stuart Fenton of Irma, Alta., assembled at 9:00 a.m. in the morning at the farm of C. J. Kallaf and Sons east of Tofield. The Kallafs proved to be good hosts and had their cattle well displayed for all to see, then on down to Earl Moore and Son to see the only herd of powdered Hereford seen during the day. From there the tour travelled to the farm of Claude Gallinger of Tofield to see some of Alberta's famous Killers short-horns. Next stop on the list was Joe Brown and Sons, one of Tofield's well known old timers. Luncheon found the tour at the farm of Mel Wood where the folks had an excellent opportunity to examine the Sire and Dam of Mr. Wood's now famous \$8,000 bull which was exhibited at the Calgary show last spring. Mrs. Wood and some of the neighbor ladies provided a noon lunch that will not be soon forgotten by those present. They are to be congratulated on the manner in which they fed such a crowd and with a lunch that was beyond the expectations of all those present. Harold Weatherill was the first stop after lunch. Mr. Weatherill is a comparatively new breeder but was able to exhibit an excellent foundation for breeding for the time he has been at it. F. on air Wood's caravan moved down through mostly roads to the farm of Verlin Moss. Here too, a very high calibre of breeding herds was in evidence. Next stop was at Elmer Grogan's. Apart from being able to show an excellent group of cattle Mr. Grogan was also able to exhibit a breeding show designed by the Grogan family. They brought out one of their choicest heifers and gave a complete demonstration of the workings of the show. Then on down to William Melnyk and Sons of Chipman to see another one of the great herds of short-horns in northern Alberta. Walter and his brother Joe were on hand to tell the story of their cattle and to show the folks around. Next stop was John Stariko's and sons, to see the only herd of Angus cattle seen during the day. Due to excessive rain at this point the caravan was unable to visit the farm of the Skripitski family of Mundare. Last stop of the day was at the Ziegler family of Vegreville. Here we were very fortunate to have an official judge of a judging competition, and guest

speaker for the day, Mr. W. A. Crawford. First, Mr. Crawford Frost is probably Alberta's best known Hereford breeder. Although his famous Carlson ranch has been sold this spring and Mr. Crawford Frost has supposedly gone into retirement, he still has a deep interest in his own love, Hereford cattle.

The Northern Club is very appreciative of his coming to take part in the program. The day was wound up with a picnic supper in the Ziegler's corn pasture. Here again, the ladies of the Vegreville district supplied the entire group with a wonderful supper.

All those present will long remember the hospitality of these good people and will no doubt look forward to another grand outing again next year.

Auto Driving Tests Now In Effect

EDMONTON.—The Alberta government's driver-testing program went into effect Monday of this week. The tests are compulsory for all new licence applicants and motorists seeking re-attestation following suspension for traffic law infractions.

At the start, the tests will be conducted by three-man crews in Edmonton and Calgary only for persons living within a 15-mile radius of these cities. Officials said they want to "get the bugs out" of the program before making it province-wide.

The program calls for a three-way test, physical, written or oral examination and a road test. The physical test will be concerned with vision mainly.

An applicant with poor "depth perception" officials stated would not likely be refused a licence but would be forewarned of his fault. The same applied to persons with poor "side vision" who could see only objects directly in front of them.

The road test is designed to test a driver's ability to handle a car in traffic, to park, to move from lane to lane and to show their all-round practical knowledge of the rules of the road.

Fifteen year olds may apply for

MANY ALBERTA FARMERS CLAIM FOR HAIL DAMAGE

Heavy damage by hail to growing crops throughout Alberta is confirmed by an increasing number of insurance claims pouring into the Calgary office of Alberta Hail Insurance Board.

By Thursday the number of claims for hail damage had reached 216—much higher than average and about double the number at this time last year, said manager Glen Elder.

Number of applications by Alberta farmers for insurance cover on 1953 crops has totalled about 10,000 a similar number to last year.

At present there are 18 adjusters investigating the claims which have been filed from as far north as Peace River, as far south as Foremost, west to Leslieville and

a test immediately, but the licence will not be granted until their sixteenth birthday.

Directing the driver-testing program will be P. J. Rowan who for more than 20 years has been a civil servant and who has headed the province's safety educational unit for the past two years.

Social Credit Still Gaining

VANCOUVER (UPI)—British Columbia's Social Credit party is building up a stronger majority as the results are slowly tabulated in the provincial election.

The complicated alternative vote system has made for slow returns especially in the big Vancouver ridings where the system has been further complicated by recounts.

So far, the Social Credit party has sealed 20 of its members, the CCF 13, Liberals, three; Conservatives, one; and Labor, none.

Social Credit leads in nine ridings and the CCF in one.

The only set-back Premier W. A. C. Bennett's government has suffered is the defeat of Finance Minister Kim Henderson. All other cabinet members have either been returned or are leading.

Retirement Of Milk Producers Manager Announced

EDMONTON.—The manager of the Alberta Provincial Milk and Cream Producers, Robert H. M. Bailey, has retired, it was announced recently.

Succeeding Mr. Bailey is F. R. McCalla, of Bremner, who will continue his post as secretary, which he has held since the organization was formed 19 years ago. R. F. Smith of Calgary is the president.

Mr. Bailey was one of the founders of the organization, being its first president and for many years its managing director. He is a past president of the Dairy Farmers of Canada. For his services to Canadian dairying, Mr. Bailey was made a Member of the Order of the British Empire in 1946.

Lions Picnic Well Attended

MORINVILLE. The Lions picnic held on July 1 at Sandy Lake drew a crowd of close to one thousand people who all expressed a large measure of pleasure in the days activities.

Prize winners in the children's races went to the following: Dorothy Arvand, Albert Trolenberg, Marian McIlles, J. Statast, Dorothy Heffler, Roger Bourbonnais, Francois Come, Rod McLellan and Kenneth McRae.

In the Married Men's Race Harvey Bourbonnais took the first prize while Mose Comrau ran a good second.

Legal News Briefs

On Monday morning, July 6, Father Langevin, in the absence of the pastor of Vimy, blessed in the Vimy church the marriage of Roger Prefontaine and Therese Provencal. Once more a great number of parents of both families gathered in the said church for the nuptial blessing and followed the newly wed at the Mocambo Club for the celebration of the marriage feast. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Prefontaine will take over the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cleophas Prefontaine who will retire in town where they have purchased the property of Mr. Louis St. Martin. Our congratulations and best wishes to the newly wed.

Three baptisms were performed on Sunday afternoon, July 5. Baptized were Marcel, Oscar, Joseph Letourneau, newly born son of Mr. and Mrs. Normand Letourneau; Claude Ronald Gagneau, newly born son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gagneau, and Joseph, Albert Regimbald, newly born son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Regimbald. Congratulations to these happy parents.

A few families are on holiday trips to the East and United States. Mr. and Mrs. Henri Caouette left last week for the trip down East, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pelletier left this week for a trip to Rochester, U.S.A. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Lecavalier are also on holiday visiting parents. Mr. and Mrs. Couture left for Edmonton last Monday morning, and three of the Sisters who will take courses at the University during the next month and a half.

DRIVER, 90, FINE
COLD WATER Mich. — Mrs. Luina Sebering was recently fined \$15 after pleading guilty to charges of failing to yield the right-of-way with her automobile, causing a minor traffic accident. Mrs. Sebering, who recently celebrated her 90th birthday, insists she's as much at home behind a steering wheel as she is in a rocking-chair.

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News in Pictures

DEAD THREE MINUTES, ALBERTA WOMAN IS REVIVED

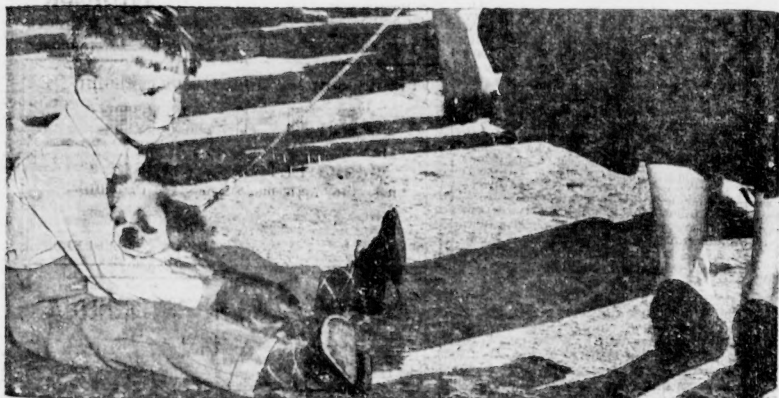


AT THE HOSPITAL in Brooks, Alta., Mrs. Angela Ciolezyk, a German immigrant actually suffered death and was restored. Her heart had stopped beating for a period of three minutes while undergoing an operation, but quick action by attending doctors brought her back to life.

Quarantine Law Separates Friends



UNAWARE OF CANADA'S quarantine laws for animals, Adelaide van Leide of Belgium brought her St. Bernard with her. She was forced to leave her St. Bernard at her port of disembarkation, Montreal until quarantine regulations have been satisfied.



TO A FURTHER EXTENT, Wayne Garvin of Elera, Ont., would rather hold his pet

while patiently waiting for his dad, who attended a meeting addressed by the Prime Minister.



ROBERT WILLIAMSON, of London, Ont., was named grand master of the 70,000 member IOOF Grand Lodge of Ontario to succeed T. R. McFadden of Durham. Installation took place at 96th annual convention held in Toronto.

Marlene Adds U.K. Golf Title To Collection



CANADA'S TINY GOLF QUEEN, pretty Marlene Stewart added the U.K. Women's Golf title to her American victories recently by defeating Ireland's Philomena Garvey in the 36-hole final at the British Women's Open Golf tournament in Wales.

EDINBURGH HAILS QUEEN ON STATE VISIT TO SCOTLAND



QUEEN ELIZABETH and her husband wave to crowds in Edinburgh when greeted on arrival in the ancient Scottish capital for a glittering round of state ceremonies to mark the Queen's Coronation.

EDITORIALS

The Fighting Mouse

One of the most surprising developments of the whole messy Korean war, now over three years, old, is the continuing antagonism of Syngman Rhee, the Korean President, to the truce negotiations.

Theoretically, the war would be over if it weren't for the bitter fighting do-or-die spirit of the South Koreans. Invaded by the North Koreans in 1950 and almost beaten in spite of the help of the entire United Nations, the weakling South Korean army has become a "mighty mouse" among the nations of the world.

Wrong as we think the Republic of Korea is in opposing an armistice, and weak as it still undoubtedly is because of lack of natural resources, the little war-torn nation is to be admired for this display of spirit. They want the war to continue until North Korea and South Korea are one single nation.

How long, we wonder, can the ROKS hold out against the combined wills of the Communists and United Nations for an end to the fighting?

Justice Has Triumphed

Two weeks ago, in an editorial in this page, we pointed out to our readers the gross inequality of justice in two recent court decisions on homicide. We stressed the fact that Lorang Sorum, guilty of deliberately killing one man in Edmonton should not be hung for his crime when another man, Alex Standing-at-the-door was given only ten years in prison for bringing death to a whole group of people by deliberate means.

We are gratified, therefore, to note that the death sentence imposed on Lorang Sorum, former University of Alberta student scheduled to be hanged July 7 for the murder of an Edmonton oil executive, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

This is a victory for Justice in Alberta, and Lorang Sorum will be spared to live out his natural life in the penitentiary where he can be given some useful work to do.

It is time Canadian justice was brought up to date by abolishing the death penalty altogether. In the case of murder, it is pretty hard to define any criminal as sane, because how could a sane mind plot to take the life of another? The most revolting crimes are usually committed by the obviously insane. But we spare the life of a so-called "insane" criminal found guilty of taking the life of another and hang the others. The fear of the death penalty hasn't stopped men like Lorang Sorum from committing murder. So the death penalty should be abolished from our criminal code.

Males: The Weaker Sex

Dr. Elmer Perman, head surgeon of a large Stockholm hospital, says the male sex is much weaker than the female. The surgeon's statement is similar to others of that nature made by prominent doctors and surgeons for many years.

The female sex has proven superior in many tests of endurance and males have proven less durable and less flexible. This is apparently borne out by the average-life span of men and women, men dying at an earlier age, on the average.

Dr. Perman advises the average male to let his wife run the house and wash the dishes. Men, he says, should relax when they come home from work and should take as many naps as possible. This is the advice many men have long awaited, although they may have difficulty in following it.

Watch Out For Hail!

Already the Alberta Hail Insurance Board reports hundreds of claims coming in for Hail Damage to the 1953 crop. During June nearly every second day brought hail damage to one Alberta district or another.

But it is still not too late for thousands of farmers to get Hail Insurance before a hail storm wipes out their year's investment. There are insurance agents in just about every town, village and hamlet. And it is still better to have Hail Insurance and not need it than to need it and not have it.

Provincial Liquor Laws Need Overhauling

From the Leduc Representative

Rarely in the past has our provincial government laid itself open to a charge of hypocrisy in its legislation; mistakes there have been, and political opponents have not been slow to point them out, but they have for the most part been honest mistakes, based on sincere attempts to remedy conditions as they existed. Unfortunately, they cannot be said of the manner in which the government is pussyfooting around the matter of liquor legislation. The amendments as recently brought down in the legislature are merely designed to remove a few of the more outstanding errors in phrasing which should never have appeared in the first place, and also to extend the hours of sale of liquor, at the discretion of the control board; they do nothing to remove the ridiculous regulations and controls which make Alberta liquor laws a figure of fun even in a country which, at no place or time, has shown outstanding wisdom in dealing with the question. In addition, the premier is obviously, within his legal rights in refusing to divulge the report of the "unofficial" commission which investigated the whole problem last year, but his moral grounds are a little more uncertain. The legislature, and the people of the province, have a right to know what conclusions were reached by the investigators and what recommendations were made, even if they are not to be implemented by the government.

The present regulations permit mixed drinking in Alberta everywhere except in the cities of Calgary and Edmonton, we understand. We don't know if experience has shown that mixed drinking is good or bad; furthermore, we couldn't care less. But if the principle is good in Cochrane it should be all right in Calgary; and if it is bad in Edmonton it seems to us that it would be equally bad in Edmonton. The government exercises strict control over the sale of liquor, which is as it should be, and as a result of this control it reaps many millions of dollars of revenue each year; yet the whole purpose of liquor legislation seems to be to make the purchase and use of liquor a more or less clandestine and disreputable business, the only good point being the profits which emerge therefrom. No liquor advertising is permitted in the province—yet every magazine and periodical which comes in the Eastern Canada, B.C., or the United States is filled with such advertising and no attempt is or could be made to control it.

In dealing with the whole problem, the government has not shown the courage or honesty with which they have faced up to other problems or which the people of the province have a right to expect from their elected representatives. Away with such half measures and remedies which cure nothing. Let's have an honest and clear-cut policy, in line with the wishes of the people as a whole, whatever such wishes may be; if the government does not know what the people want, we suggest that they conduct a plebiscite to find out. This hypocritical pussyfooting around the edge of an admittedly controversial subject does not increase respect for the powers that be at Edmonton.

A Sensible Move

Starting this month, employees of the Alberta Government, including Treasury Branches, will enjoy a five-day work week. About 4,000 will be affected and if they have an extra hour a day to make up for the half-day off on Saturday, it will be worth it.

It is difficult for Governments and Industry to maintain full staffs of competent employees these days. Naturally good workers hire themselves out to employers who pay the best wages and have the better conditions. An important feature of improvement along this line is the institution of a five-day work week. It gives the employee one full day, unbroken by office or shop hours, to enjoy work or play in the great outdoors.

Bible Today

And the prince shall enter by the way of the porch of that gate without, and shall stand by the post of the gate, and the prince shall prepare himself, offering and his peace-offerings; and he shall worship at the threshold of the gate; but the gate shall not be shut until the evening.—Ezekiel: 46:1.

ROK AND RYE



Voice of the People

WANTS CHANGE IN POLICY

When Malenkov said in his inaugural address, "There are not any and there will not be any question which cannot be resolved by peaceful means," he presented a challenge to the West of more danger than at first suspected. The statement is clear-cut and definite and quite consistent with his former statements. He said in 1950 on the occasion of Stalin's 70th birthday, "Russia is now surrounded for the first time in history with friendly nations in both Europe and Asia. . . . The Soviet Union struggles for world peace. Russia urges peace, and we do not fear competition with capitalism. Stalin himself said last October, in the closing session of the party congress, "The interests of our party, not only do not contradict, but on the contrary merge with the interests of peace-loving peoples everywhere." It is the increased emphasis which Malenkov gives to these statements which now constitutes a grave and real threat to the Western world.

It is clear the new Russian government is moving with vigor to end the cold war, and to place the responsibility for its continuance on the U.S. In Korea, the Chinese and North Koreans have accepted the Allies' terms for armistice, and Russia is steadily modifying her attitude toward Western Europe, East Germany, Yugoslavia, Austria, and is bidding for trade and commercial relations with Britain, and the Commonwealth, with Iran and Turkey. She has released 2,000,000 prisoners and is opening up her borders to correspondents for free unhindered trips through Russia. Communism could become much more dangerous under its new leaders in several ways. First, it can lose some of its totalitarian nature and become more of a group government, or oligarchy, giving more freedoms of criticism and speech, individual ownership of lands and more material goods, thus cutting away much of the basis of its superior appeal. Second, the opening of the "iron curtain" indicates that Russia proper, in the view of the present leaders, has made considerable progress under communism and will compare favorably with the countries of the West, and will accordingly be attractive to the people of France and Italy, etc. Third, Malenkov's peace program is confirming the idea that war is not likely, which means the cutting of armaments costs, of help to Europe and possible recession in business, perhaps a depression.

Fourth, for years the Russian

leaders have made it plain that they expect the economic collapse of the capitalist world, and now they are sure that that collapse is at hand, and are preparing to capitalize on the gathering trade rivalries by offering attractive trade propositions.

Fifth, they are preparing to hold up communism as the great liberator of the oppressed classes.

If the U.S. is to keep its leadership it will adopt the lead given so eloquently by President Eisenhower in his great speech, and change its tactics to a positive constructive policy leading to the rebuilding of the waste places and the lifting of the underprivileged in the lands still considered within the orbit of the free world, otherwise she will find a steadily developing resistance to her unilateral leadership, and a greater and greater emphasis on the United Nations under the guidance of Britain and the Commonwealth.

L.W.N.

Stony Plain.

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1 cup white sugar
1/2 cup seeded raisins
1/2 cup currants
1/2 cup butter
1/2 teaspoon butter
1/2 teaspoon cloves
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon soda in 1/4 cup grated potato saved till last and added last of all, flour the fruit well and steam for three hours.

Your Favorite Recipe Editor, P.O. Box 4430, South Edmonton has already sent a \$1.00 check for this recipe to Miss Laurette Champagne, Box 44, Legal, Alberta.

CARROT MARMALADE

4 large carrots, scraped and put through mincer.

5 lemons, quarter and put rind, seeds and all through mincer.
10 cups water, boil all 1 hour, then measure with cup and add 1 cup less of white sugar than pulp, boil again very slow for 2 hours, or until it jellies.

For sending us this unusual recipe for marmalade which she describes as "very good," Mrs. L. Smith-Gander of Strome received a cheque for \$1.00.



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LETTER TO LOUISA

Ignores Girl Friend in Daytime Still Wants Her To Go On Dates

Dear LOUISA:

I've been staying in town during this term of school. I have gone out with a few boys but now I am in love with a boy of twenty. He said he loves me but during the day when I see him he seems as if he is mad at me. He said he would like me to go out with him during the summer holidays. I would like to go out with him but I don't want my parents to know about me going out. Do you think I should tell my parents? My brother approve of it but my parents don't.

Elizabeth

Answer:

Dear Elizabeth:

There are three things wrong with your situation.

First, although you state it last, the fact that you haven't told your parents of this boy friend is the most unfortunate part of your problem. A young lady such as you, living at home, should have no reason for keeping this information from your parents. Why don't you get your brothers to invite him to your home and meet your parents?

Secondly, I doubt very much if

this young man cares for you if he ignores you in daytime. Surely if he loves you he will treat you with approval and respect at every meeting, whether casual or arranged, at any time.

Third—and very important. You aren't old enough to take any boy of twenty seriously and if you are going to enjoy your youth as you should you'll have to cultivate the friendship of other young people, boys and girls. You should get into the social whirl this summer but don't let one surly character who hasn't the sense to treat you with respect at other times monopolize your entire book of summer dates.

LOUISA

Edmonton To Send Delegation To Watch Tower Convention

Edmonton will be represented by a delegation of more than 550 at the International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses, Yankee Stadium, New York City, Mr. J. Rudko, presiding minister here and head of the delegation, announced today that the group will travel by special train, plane and automobile to join more than 125,000 other witnesses of Jehovah in their 8-day convention opening July 9.

Mr. Rudko pointed out that Jehovah's witnesses are coming from every province in Canada and nearly 100 countries to participate in the largest religious convention ever to be held in America. Charter planes carrying delegates from Africa, Europe and Latin America will soon converge on New York. Large delegations from Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and the Orient are already on the high seas. Some 18,000 Canadians are expected to attend.

Sandwiches 30 Cents In Beer Parlors

Even if your friend doesn't drink, he can now order a sandwich if he accompanies you to a Hotel Beer Parlor. A. J. Mason announced the new regulations, which took effect July 1st.

Accordingly, beer parlors must serve sandwiches, and the maximum price of a sandwich will be 30 cents. The Beverage Dispensers' Union previously opposed serving of sandwiches in beer parlors but Mr. Mason said he did not anticipate any trouble over the move. In licensed premises, beer will be sold only in one-dozen and half-dozen cartons. New beer parlor prices are \$2.50 for a dozen and \$1.70 for a half dozen, compared to the previous prices of \$3.24 for a dozen and \$1.65 for a half dozen. Price of beer purchased at the vendors will not be changed.

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One night we were eating supper when my three-year-old sister left her place on the bench and came and sat on my mother's knee. Mamma asked her what was the matter with her own place. She replied, "The bench has no Mommy's knee."

Shirley Kennedy.

Onoway.

Varsity To Continue Its Evening Classes

The University of Alberta has announced that the Evening Division program of university credit classes which began last year will be continued during the 1953-54 academic session.

The program is intended primarily for young men and women who would like to work towards a university degree but who are unable to attend regular day-time classes. Classes are to be offered in the evening in Calgary and Edmonton towards the first year course requirements for the B.A. and B. Com. degrees and the first year of the pre-law course. During the 1952-53 session, there was a total of 134 registrations from the two cities in the following classes, English 2, French 2, Political Economy 1, Education 308, 326, 526, and Philosophy 54.

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Says Farmers 'Pad' Acreage

BRANDON — The vice-president of Manitoba Pool Elevators, George McConnell, charged here the whole quota system of the Canadian wheat board is being undermined by farmers padding their acreage.

He told the Manitoba Federation of Agriculture's annual convention that some farmers claim larger acreages than they have sown for quota purposes.

According to permit books at the elevators, there are close to 125,000 bushels of grain still to be delivered, but actually all the grain

is in, he said.

If the padding keeps up, the board will have to abandon its system, Mr. McConnell said.

Search For Uranium

EDMONTON — Four Alberta Research Council geologists will investigate mineral possibilities of the pre-Cambrian shield where this belt of rock touches the north-eastern corner of the province. The party left by plane this week for the area north of Lake Athabasca, where a find of high-grade uranium was reported several months ago.

A. T. Baker Of Nemiscam Is New Alberta Wheat Pool Manager

A. T. Baker, of Nemiscam, has been appointed manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool. In making the announcement, Ben E. Phinney, chairman of the board of directors, stated:

"Shortly after the passing of R. D. Purdy, former manager, T. A. Oliver was appointed acting manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool. Because of Mr. Oliver's health and the heavy responsibilities involved the board of directors have decided to appoint A. T. Baker manager of the organization. Mr. Oliver will continue as assistant to Mr. Baker."

"Mr. Baker has been a director of the Alberta Wheat Pool since 1945 and vice-chairman during the past three years. He is a young man whose farm background, business training and experience in Pool affairs equip him for the position."

Albert T. Baker was born in Illinois and is the eldest son of Perren Baker, who was minister of education in the UFA government of Alberta. The Baker family came to Alberta in 1916 when the home-stead rush was on and the father filed on land at Nemiscam, which is on the Lethbridge-Marysville line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, about 60 miles southwest of Medicine Hat.

Albert T. Baker now operates the family farm, which has grown to nine sections of land, is fully mechanized and has thousands of acres under crop each year. He was educated at the local school district at Nemiscam, at high school in Edmonton and at the University of Alberta from which he graduated in 1928, after which he took over the management of the farm. He was married in 1925 to Agnes



A. T. BAKER

Phelps, of Cochrane, and they have two children—two girls.

Mr. Baker, 27, took an early interest in the farmer movement in Alberta and was elected member of the legislature for the Cypress constituency when the farmer government gained power in the 1921 election. He served as member for Cypress until 1933. Albert followed the example of his father in interesting himself in farmer movements and was elected a delegate to the Alberta Wheat Pool in 1931. In 1935 he was elected director for the Lethbridge division in succession to Christian Jensen of Marysville, who served in that capacity for twenty-two years.

The law is a great thing when it coincides with your interest.

St. Laurent and Malik Chat About Mistakes

CHATHAM, Ont. (AP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent told a Liberal rally here of a chat he had with Jacob Malik, when the Russian ambassador sat in front of him in Westminster Abbey at the Coronation.

"I got the impression that he was very much impressed by that great ceremony," Mr. St. Laurent said.

"Later I met him at a reception and told him of my impressions. He said he had watched it very closely."

"I said something of the mistakes that have been made by nations. He replied that the only people who make no mistakes are those who do nothing."

"I said I only hoped that when we made mistakes, his country would not think we were making them on purpose. He replied that he hoped the same would apply to mistakes his own country might make, but added:

"However, I must tell you that I think I can rely more on the sincerity of our own people than that of others."

Unconscious After Cycling Mishap

BANFF, Alta. (AP)—A young German immigrant is still lying unconscious in Banff Hospital after being found yesterday morning lying beside his wrecked motorcycle.

RCMP say his name is Johann Blank, but no other details are known about him. He is not believed to have any relatives in this country.

Police said details of the accident have not yet been cleared up, as the youth has been unconscious since the time he was found on the outskirts of the town.

POET'S CORNER

MEMORIES

When I go home I gaze around
The dear familiar, childhood ground,
And ponder at the beauty still
Of every little path and hill.

The dear old home is just the same,
Though others see its weathered frame,
I only see it at its best,
Sheltering a happy family nest.

I tread once more the winding stairs,
Where waited down our childhood prayers,
Gaze out a window, to the west
Where purple hills forever rest.

And folks who live there, laugh and say
I weave a golden screen that day
That keeps each lovely memory so;
Things stay the same as long ago.

I know of course it's really true,
But it's the things folks always do,
We pause for just a little while,
To reminisce, on life's long mile.

And onward plod, refreshed once more,
To face what life has in its store,
For life is hard when one has grown,
And all their childhood dreams have flown.

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The Editor will pay \$1.00 for every item published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment of My Life." To qualify items must be true, personal incidents. Address: "Embarrassing Moments," P.O. Box 4435, South Edmonton.

The most embarrassing moment in my life took place at school. Our teacher is very strict and he doesn't want us to eat candy in school. Well, this day I had peppermint candies in my shirt pocket. When it was home time our teacher said, "Please pick up the paper on the floor."

As I bent down to pick up the papers, all the candies (18) fell out and went out rattling on the floor. The whole class laughed and the teacher said, "You better pick up your candies. I was so embarrassed I couldn't even tell him I didn't want to."

Billy Zarutsky, Mayerthorpe.

About one minute before twelve o'clock midnight New Year's Eve our gang was standing in a group in the hall. I had been bragging to my girlfriend that I was sweet sixteen and never been kissed and would keep my record even on New Year's Eve. One boy in our gang had been listening and turned around to say, "What does Mr. N. do, sleazebag?" Golly was I embarrassed!

V.R.S.

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Schoolmaster -- If Shakespears were alive today, would he still be regarded as a remarkable man? Pupil -- I'd think so, for he'd be over 300 years old.

Sticking To It

Wife -- Mother says she nearly died laughing over those stories you told her?

Hub -- Where is she? I'll tell her some funnier ones.

Smart Scotchman

Two scotchmen tossed to see who would pay for the dinner. The winner called "Heads". The loser called "Fire!" and escaped in the confusion.

Award

Prey -- Your absurdity would make a donkey laugh.

Purvis -- Yeah, I noticed you was laughing.

The Cure

"What cured him of arguing with his wife?"

"Arguing with his wife."

Hopeless

"How much is a wee tiny small radio, mister?"

"Six dollars, son."

"Och, that's almost \$9 more than I got."

Changed Viewpoint

"That the voyage cure you of your insomnia?"

"Absolutely."

"Well, that must be a relief."

"It certainly is. Why, I lie awake half the night thinking of how I used to suffer from it."

Musical Calendar

Manager (in music store): How long did you work in the last place?

New Pianist: From "Dardanella" to "Red Sails In the Sunset."

A lawyer engaged in a case recommended a witness so much with questions, that the poor fellow at last cried out for water.

"There," said the judge, "I thought you would pump him dry."

First Lawyer: "I've just taken the case of that woman who says she shot her husband because he loved him."

Second Lawyer: "I suppose your plea will be that spring is the time for tender shoots."

A lawyer acquaintance just out of college was pleading his first case. The nasty railroad company had killed twenty-four of his farmer-client's hogs. The young lawyer was trying to impress the jury with the magnitude of the injury.

"Imagine twenty-four hogs, gentlemen! Twenty-four! Twice the number there are in the jury box."

The doctor smiled as he entered the room.

"You look much better today."

"Yes, I followed the directions on your medicine bottle."

"What were they?"

"Keep the bottle tightly corked."

Aggrieved One: "She's been throwing things at me ever since we was married."

Magistrate: "Then why have you not complained before?"

Aggrieved One: "This is the first time she's hit me."

"What were you doing about that chicken-coop at midnight, Mose?" the judge asked.

"Jee, circulate'n' roon', Judge."

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Quick Canadian

Quiz No. 121

1. A white man first visited the site of the city of Winnipeg in what year?
2. What Ontario manufacturing industry has this province's highest annual payroll?
3. An administrator family allowance it cost \$1,600 a day, \$8,000 a day, \$13,000 a day?
4. In order, name Manitoba's three largest cities.
5. Is the average daily wage for a male farm worker, without board, \$5.80 a day, \$7.70 a day, \$8.50 a day?

ANSWERS: 1. Average at Jan. 15, 1955, was \$5.80 per day. 2. More than \$12,000 a day. 1. In 1738, La Verendrye the explorer. 4. Winnipeg, St. Boniface, Brandon. 5. The automobile industry.

'Tornado' Hits

DeWinton Farm

Russell Evans, a farmer living about six miles west of DeWinton, is convinced a baby "tornado" was responsible for \$2,000 worth of damage to his farm recently.

Although weather officials are inclined to believe the "tornado" was just a high wind, Evans said he watched a funnel-shaped cloud rip off his barn roof and toss wagons around the yard. Wooden rafters of the barn were saved in and a number of chickens were killed.

Evans said the funnel-shaped cloud sucked water into the air about 100 feet. He said he had gone for mail when he saw the storm approaching. He was running back toward the farm when the storm passed between him and the buildings.

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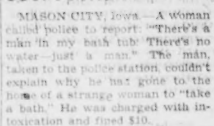
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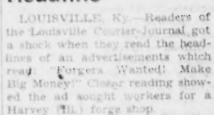
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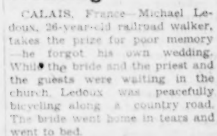
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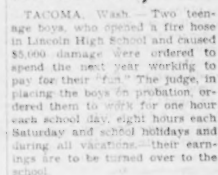
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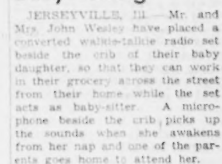
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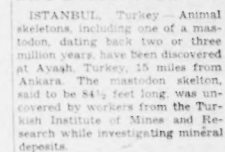
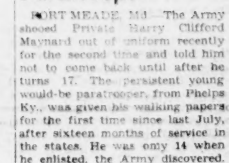
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Council Rejects Application

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be required in order to complete the graveling of the said road as this project had not been contemplated by the Council for 1953. They were advised that it was estimated that the cost of graveling would be approximately \$1,000.00 per mile and that if a private grant of \$1,000.00 was received the Council would give the matter further consideration.

Sturgeon School Division No. 24

T. D. Cunningham now called on the Council in regards to school bus routes in the district. Requested that the district highway as to a part thereof from Section 26-56-27-W4 and ending at the SE corner of Section 26-57-W4 be repaired as soon as possible so that the school bus could resume its regular route instead of having to detour a distance of eight miles each day. Councillor N. C. Perrott advised that this portion of the road was now repaired and that the bus could resume its natural run. Equipment was brought in, this work was attended to and the road is now repaired. He requested the widening of the road at the Meurons School in order to facilitate loading and unloading of the school buses. At present, the buses have to drive in the school yard and back up, which is dangerous and a great forbidding practise. He was advised that this matter will be looked after as soon as Municipal equipment is in that vicinity. He also spoke on the road in the St. Albert area being from Bellinette to Petersons. He advised that he had been informed that Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. were prepared to make a grant of \$500.00 for the graveling of the said road. He was advised that the Council had been informed by the Council that the cost of graveling in this area was \$1,500.00 and that this had not been entered in the current budget for graveling the district grant would have to be larger, as no doubt this road would mostly be used by this Company for their own purpose, there being several oil wells in that vicinity.

He also requested highgrading the road to the Tipper River from River Lot 46 to 51. Mr. Cunningham was advised that the road south of River Lot 49 and 50 was the south boundary of the Town of St. Albert and therefore, their road. The Council would be prepared to build their part of this road should the Town decide to build this road. The road from the NW 26-53-25-W4 going north 1 1/2 miles was contemplated for the next year. But due to the wet season, this was not built. The matter is to be gone into as soon as the equipment is in that part of the District. Equipment is at present in the Calahoo District working on a district highway.

Improvement on the road from Alameda west to the Meridian was also requested by Mr. Cunningham, this being the Kingsley School Bus Route on the base line. This will be improved by the road patrol, in due course, as soon as conditions are favorable. Mr. Cunningham thanked the Council for their attention and said he would advise the School Board as to their intentions.

Culvert for Road 156th Street West of NW 14-53-25-W4

Letter as received from Sam Gagnon was now read to the Council. The matter was referred to Reeve Schafers for his attention.

Bridge, W 81-7-55-27-W4

Moved by Councillor Walker that we request the Department of Highways, Bridge Branch, to replace this bridge with a 72" steel culvert. Carried.

Drainage Problem

Township 56, Ranges 25 and 26 delegation composed of Messrs J. H. Perre, Lester Liondelle and Robert Liondelle now called on the Council in regards to a drainage problem at a certain location, also a complaint of a certain

cultivator. They were advised by the Council that this being a Municipal ditch, the Council would clear their part of the ditch as soon as machinery was available to do this. The Council would then be delegated to investigate this problem with the said cultivator, as well as the cultivator complaint in order that this situation may be improved if possible.

Proposed Service Station and Tourist Centre on Highway No. 2

At SW 1/4, 26-53-25-W4
Arsene and Leo Pelletier now called on the Council in regards to the above mentioned. Letter dated June 8, 1953 as received from the Edmonton District Planning Commission was now read to them by the Council. The Commission does not recommend this development for the reasons that the traffic at the said location on the St. Albert Trail is second only to that of the Calgary Trail. 4,365 vehicles per day compared to 6,429 per day as taken in June, 1952 before the Drive-In Theatre was built. While the Trail has a traffic volume considerably higher than all the other Provincial Highways in the Edmonton District (for example, Highway 16—2,343, vehicles per day) it is, as is well known, especially designed in width and alignment to handle such heavy volumes. It is important that no additional hazards to traffic safety be created. There is also a problem of 12 accesses onto the Highway within the first mile before the City Limits. They were advised that the Council were not prepared, at this time, to authorize this development until such a time as the Planning Commission has made further study of the said location and meets with approval.

Court of Revision

Appeal as made on garage on Lots 4-5, Block 14, Plan 866 C.G. in the Townsite of Alameda was now taken up by the Council. The Assessor advised that this had been assessed according to schedule, as cement blocks, and that the assessment was right at \$500.00. Moved by Councillor Walker that we the Court set this assessment as assessed, namely, \$500.00. Carried.

Planner Mill and Lumber Yard Lot 1, Block A, Plan 1176 C.L.

NW 1/4, 14-53-25-W4
Moved by Reeve Schafers that we the Council have no objection to the erection of a planer mill at the above location, this planer mill building, size 30' by 14', of frame structure, a dwelling house with full basement, 26' by 16', bungalow type of frame structure and lumber yard all at the same location and the road crossing of the Municipal road as requested, providing all Government regulations in this regards are adhered to.

Edmonton Union of Municipal Districts

Letter dated June 8, 1953 regarding a special meeting to be held on June 15, 1953, which is being called to discuss the new Provincial Government regulations covering the payment of "extras" on Hospital accounts, was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that all the Council be delegated to attend this special meeting as requested. Carried.

Devison of Riviere Qu'Appelle

At NE 1/4 and SE 1/4, 57-27-W4
A letter as received from Alex R. Benson claiming damage of the loss of a yearling heifer, valued at \$100.00 was now read to the Council.

This heifer, apparently, got stuck in the silt which was caused by the diverting of the above river in the fall of 1952 and which has caused considerable damage and trouble this year. This diversion was approved by the Department of Highways, Bridge Branch, under date of November 3, 1952 and was constructed by the M.D. under contract to Derose Brothers, Contractors, with the approval of the Department at a cost of \$2,307.20. The Department request the Municipality for the said project as this

eliminated two bridges, which were Government bridges.

Moved by Councillor Perrott that this matter be referred to the said Department and that a copy of this claim be mailed to them as well as to the Municipal Solicitor, as the Council do not feel that they should be responsible for this claim, as the work in question was done for the Bridge Branch.

Carried.

Fr. NE 1/4, 29-31-27-W4

Letter as received from the Crown Trust Company in regards to the owners of the above mentioned land was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Racine that the Field Supervisor attempt to have the proper papers and agreements executed for the supervision of this land under the "Agricultural Service Board Act".

Road NE 1/4, 1-56-26-W4

Now called on the Council and advised he was prepared to give the Council an easement at the SW corner of the said NE 1/4 would consider making a round corner at this location where it joins the District road going East and West at its main intersection. He believed that this would be a great asset at this corner and would greatly reduce the traffic hazard.

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we appoint Councillor Meunier to investigate this request and should this seem practical that he proceed to build this road accordingly. Carried.

1953 Grants, By-Law No. 153

The above By-Law was now given first and second reading being for Agricultural grants to Societies and Organizations as follows:

Canadian Chamber of Commerce, \$25.00; Edmonton and District Agricultural Society, \$50.00; Day Calf Club, \$20.00; Alameda Junior Farm Club, \$20.00; St. Albert 4-H Beef Club, \$20.00; Farmers Union of Alberta, \$20.00.

Moved by Councillor Walker that this By-Law be given third and final reading and passed forthwith and that the same be forwarded to the Minister for approval in accordance with Sec. 254 of the M.D. Act. Carried.

Contract Loeck Brothers

Contract as entered into with the Loeck Brothers for the graveling of the Lower River Road was now read to Council. Loading of crushed gravel from stock pile at 20 cents per cubic yard, including the hauling and spreading of the same from trucks at the rate of 500 yards per mile at Government rates; crushing in accordance with contract dated July 2, 1952.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we approve of this contract and that the same be executed as approved. Carried.

Municipal Maps

Letter from the Western Printing and Lithographing Company Limited regarding the Municipal Maps was now read to the Council. These maps will be printed and should be received sometime in August, 1953. The maps are now being prepared for printing.

Moved by Councillor Racine that we order 2,000 of these maps as there are, at present, several orders on hand for these maps and no doubt most of the ratepayers will take the opportunity to purchase a map of the Municipality as soon as they are available.

Quarantine of Dogs for Rabies

Control

Letter as received from the Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs referring to Circular letter of March 20, 1953 in regards to the above mentioned was now read to the Council.

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we leave our By-Law No. 144 as is in regards to the above mentioned. Carried.

Purchase Road Patrol

Moved by Councillor Walker that we purchase 1 only D483 Champion grader, including snow-

plow and wing complete for \$21,323.52 for which we accept the sum of \$5,750.00 for our H.D.10 Allis-Chalmers tractor with Gar-Wood Model C27-2, Power Control Unit and Model CD 101 Angle Dozer. Carried.

By-Law No. 154

A By-Law pursuant to Section 219 of the Municipal District Act, being Chapter 151 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942 with amendments up to and including 1953, was now given first and second reading.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that this By-Law be given third and final reading and that the same be passed forthwith. Carried.

Amendment to the Hospitals Act

Re: Special Hospital Services
Letter dated May 20, 1953 as received from the Department of Public Health in regards to the above was now read to Council. This letter was ordered filed, as the Council are to attend a meeting of the Edmonton Union of Municipal Districts on June 15 in regards to these Amendments.

Department of Highways

Letter dated May 23 as received from the Chief Bridge Engineer regarding the bridges at the S/W 5-59-25-W4 and the bridge W/SW 7-59-25-W4 was now read to the Council. Councillor Racine was appointed by the Council to have the repairs requested done as soon as possible and report this work done to the Secretary as soon as it is completed in order that he may advise the Bridge Branch accordingly.

Alberta Association of Municipal Districts

Letter dated June 1, 1953 advising of the new prices on 2-4-D was now read to the Council. Prices were set by the Council in accordance with said list, less 10 per cent, to farmers requiring the same.

Department of Public Health

Letter dated May 22, 1953 in regards to application for Inaugural free of charge was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we have our Welfare Officer investigate this case and report back to the Secretary in order that he may advise the Department accordingly. Carried.

Northwest Territories Limited

Permission to construct pipe line, which this Company proposes to build during the summer of 1953 to serve the Village of Legal and natural gas, was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that as this line does not cross any Municipal roads in this district and is entirely on Sec. 25-57-25-W4 that we have no objection for the construction of this line in so far as the Municipal District of Morinville is concerned and that we authorize the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer to approve the said construction. Carried.

W. Fr. 8 1/2, 31-57-27-W4

Complaint regarding a culvert as received from Carl Mirus was now read to the Council regarding a culvert on the Meridian and no culvert being provided for the same, thus causing the flooding of approximately 20 acres of land across the Meridian.

Moved by Councillor Walker that Councillor Perrott be appointed to investigate this complaint and install culvert if found it to be necessary, taking into consideration the natural water course.

Carried.

Bridge Authorization

W/NW 29-55-26-W4

The above dated May 20, 1953 as received from the Department of Highways, Bridge Branch, whereby the above bridge is to be replaced with a 72" by 44" Arch Culvert CIP by 44" length was now read to the Council. This culvert has not, as yet, been delivered to location.

Moved by Councillor Walker that Councillor Perrott investigate this matter, and he be directed to

advise the Secretary as soon as this culvert has been installed in order that he may report the same as required by the Department. Carried.

Bridge Authorization

W/SW 14-59-25-W4

Councillor Racine advised the Council that this bridge has now been installed as advised by the Bridge Branch as to its authorization dated May 20, 1953.

Ordered Filed.

Request for Council Bridge

Replacement, W 81-7-55-27-W4
Moved by Councillor Walker that as this bridge is completely finished and out that we request the Bridge Branch that the same be re-placed with a 72" by 44" Culvert CIP by 44" in length. Carried.

Carried.

Lots 1 to 7 Incl, Block R-1, Plan 381 H.W. - Vimy, Sturgeon School Division No. 24

Moved by Councillor Racine that we accept the sum of \$150.00 for the above mentioned lots, plus the taxes owing on the same and that we arrange for the transferring of the same, as they are required for school ground purposes. Carried.

Pound-Keepers

Resignation of Pound-Keeper, E. R. Letourneau, NE 34-57-25-W4

was now read to the Council. The Council were also advised that there still was required a Pound in the St. Albert area to replace the late O. Bellale, SE 29-54-25-W4. Oscar Chevrier has also resigned as he has left the district and pound vacancy exists in the Vimy area, former pound being on the SE 7-59-25-W4, also an appointment to be made in the Calahoo area and in the Alameda area due to resignation of Bellale, in SE 35-56-27-W4, who has left the District.

Moved by Councillor Walker that each Councillor concerned make the necessary arrangements in his own Electoral Division to have a Pound-Keeper appointed for their respective areas. Carried.

Agricultural Service Board

Lease in regards to River Lot II and IL in the St. Albert Settlement, taken under the control of the Service Board was now taken up by the Council. The Service Board recommended the leasing of the said lands to Carl Sommers (Farmer) of St. Albert, Alberta for a space of three years, beginning as from May 16, 1953 at what time the said land was placed under control of the Service Board.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we approve of the said lease on 1/3 share basis and that we authorize the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer to execute the same on behalf of the Municipality. Carried.

Department of Highways

Moved by Councillor Racine that we request the Department of Highways to make the following change on item (21) on Article of Agreement adopted May 16, 1953:

District Highway 41-9-18: From NE 1/4, 7-57-26-W4 north 9 miles. West 1 1/2 miles and thence 3 miles north to the NE 1/4, 7-59-25-W4 regrading a distance of 1 1/2 miles. Amount \$28,500.00 This to be expended as follows:

41-9-18: From NE 1/4, 31-57-26-W4 north 5 miles. East 1 1/2 miles and thence north 3 miles, \$21,500.00
41-9-18: From NE 1/4, 31-57-26-W4 south 4 miles, \$7,000.00. Total \$28,500.00. Carried.

Sturgeon Health Unit

Statements of receipts and disbursements for the period of April 1, 1952 to March 31, 1953 was now read to the Council. Ordered filed.

Next Meeting

Moved by Councillor Racine that we hold our next meeting on July 9, 1953 beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Carried.

Adjournment

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we adjourn this meeting at 8:15 o'clock p.m. Carried.

Daschund Adopts Orphaned Wolf Cubs



This pair of wolf cubs were adopted by a daschund after she had lost her own litter. The cubs were taken from their den after their mother had been driven off with an axe.

Over Thirteen Hundred Animals Get Bang's Disease Vaccination In M.D.

SOUTH EDMONTON — At the June 19th meeting of the Agricultural Service Board the Field Supervisor reported on calfhood vaccination for Bang's control, coyote control, and distribution of forage crop seed, as follows:

This spring to date 1,275 calves were vaccinated and 60 mature animals were blood-tested for sale by public auction. Since our municipality adopted a coyote policy two years ago 181 ratcatchers have been served with 562 gaffers, 1,294 chemical cartridges, 227 strychnine capsules together with the necessary setting pins, bait, literature, etc. On the basis of one third of those who received this material having reported 168 coyotes caught, the Supervisor felt justified in assuming that our coyote population has been reduced by one. Forage crop seed purchased through the municipal office this spring to date amounted to \$1,426.00.

The bi-monthly meeting of the Agricultural Service Board of the Municipal District of Strathcona No. 55, was held in the Council Chamber, Rural Administration Building, 19428 — 81 Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, on Friday, June 19th, 1953, with the following members, in attendance:

E. Keith, Chairman; F. R. McCulloch, Ratepayers' Representative; R. J. Whitbread, Government Representative; M. L. Stetson, Field Supervisor.

The Field Supervisor submitted correspondence received since last meeting, together with his replies.

The question of roadside aprons for brush control was discussed and it was decided that this matter should come before the next regular meeting of the Council for their consideration.

Mr. R. L. Whitbread reported that entries this year in both the "Save the Soil" and "Farm and Home" competitions were up 19% to the four municipalities touching the city. Mr. Whitbread also reported:

FAMILY OF 7 SLEEP IN 2 CARS

CHICAGO—The family of William Looze has been sleeping in the family car and an old station wagon for the past several weeks because they have been unable to find an apartment. The parking lot is near a drive-in restaurant where Mrs. Looze is employed. The family of five children ranges in age from 2 to 14 years.

Justice Minister Defies Other Parties To Show Similar Record

DAUPHIN, Man.—Speaking at a public meeting in Dauphin recently, Justice Minister Garson defied the other political parties to show a record equal to the Liberals.

Quoting from the English publication, the Economist, which said that Canadian affairs "have been handled with a skill, unexampled throughout the world," Mr. Garson termed the publication as "the greatest economic journal in the English language."

Let the Conservative and CCF parties produce from any source whatsoever an appraisal of their achievements which will match this.

In his attack on the Progressive Conservatives, Mr. Garson said "George Drew is unwittingly deceiving no one but himself in his promise to reduce taxes and increase expenditures."

The justice minister said he would not go so far as CCF leader Coldwell, who said Mr. Drew's promise is "the most calculated piece of deceit," since William Aberhart promised the people a per pension of \$25 a month in the name of the Social Credit.

To give Mr. Coldwell his due, he is much more honest than some other public men in admitting his proposals will add substantially to our tax burdens, Mr. Garson said.

Mr. Drew, with his usually masterly vagueness, is promising much of what Mr. Coldwell promises, but at the same time is including a \$500 million-per-year tax cut.

Mr. Garson said Mr. Coldwell's idea "that he can carry out his program by soaking the rich is a fantasy."

Canada's national taxable income was distributed so well that a "comparatively small part of it goes to the rich."

What you postpone today you will probably forget about tomorrow.

Edmonton Wolf Cub Wins Highest Bravery Award

OTTAWA—An eleven-year old Edmonton Wolf Cub has been posthumously awarded the Cornwall Scout Badge, scouting's Victoria Cross. It was announced here.

Cub Mathison, a member of 13th Edmonton Cub Pack, won the badge for "remarkable courage and endurance when suffering from first degree burns." He died in hospital five days after being burned in an accident.

His clothing caught fire when a

friend knocked over an oil lantern at a street construction site last September 6. His father, R. N. Mathison, formerly of Scotland, will be presented with the badge.

The award was one of 30 Dominion Day honors, announced by Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Governor General and Canada's Chief Scout.

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